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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.183 FOR CERTIFICATE OF
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The above-identified patent issued with an erroneous assignee's name (furnished incorrectly in item 3 of the issue fee transmittal, Form PTOL-85B). The correct name of the assignee is **THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER** as shown by the official USPTO records based on an assignment recorded against then-pending application Serial No. 09/743,195 as of February 7, 2005, on Reel 16279 at Frame 435.

Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP §1481, Correction of Assignees' Names, the following statements are made and actions are taken:

- Your petitioner requests that 37 C.F.R. §3.81(a) be waived to permit the correct name of the assignee to be provided after issuance of this patent.
- The failure to include the correct assignee name on Form PTOL-85B was inadvertent.

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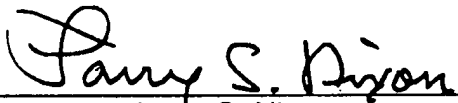
- A copy of the Patent Assignment Abstract of Title as extracted from Private PAIR is attached.
- Our check in the amount specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) is attached.

Please see the attached Request for Certificate of Correction of Applicants' Mistake filed concurrently herewith under 37 C.F.R. §1.183.

Favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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